To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County

This is to certify that Charlotte Jackson who is now present & applying for a certificate of freedom was free born and raised in Kent County and is now about thirty four years of age; is

Sep. 15 – 1856 Edwd. J Turner

Charlotte five feet two and one half inches high is light complexion. is

Filed, recorded & certificate issued 15 Sep. 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County

This is to certify that negro Mahaley Willis who is now present and applying for a certificate of freedom is the identical person mentioned in a deed of Manumission executed by Geo. W Thomas Extor. of Wm Thomas dated the 2d January 1828 is to be free on the 1st day of January 1852

Sep. 16 – 1856 Geo. W J Perkins

Mahaley is five feet one inch high, black complexion small scar on the little finger of the left hand & also a scar on the left arm above the elbow.

Filed, recorded & certificate issued Sep. 16 – 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To J F Gordon Esq. clk.

I hereby certify that Rebecca Ringgold the bearer hereof is the identical person who was declared free by the verdict of the Circuit Court for Kent County on Petition against David Barley and that Rebecca was raised principally in Kent County she is about thirty five years of age

Sep. 20 – 1856 G Vickers

Rebecca is four feet eleven inches high, black complexion is

Filed, recorded & certificate issued Sep. 20 – 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To the Clerk of the circuit court for Kent County

I hereby certify that the bearer hereof a negro woman called Eliza Berry is the identical girl bound to the late John F. Ringgold – and I believe him to be free born and raised in Kent County and is now about eighteen years

Oct. 13 – 1856 Thomas W Ellison

Eliza is four feet ten inches high dark complexion

Filed, recorded & certificate issued Oct. 13 – 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To the Clerk of the circuit court for Kent County

I hereby certify that Jeff Brown now present and applying for a certificate of freedom was free born and raised in Kent County and is now about twenty three years of age.

Oct. 21 – 1856 J F Melvin

Jeff Brown is five feet eight inches high black complexion is a small scar over the right eye; –

Filed, recorded & certificate issued Oct. 21 – 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County

I hereby certify that Hannah Ann Gilbert (is the daughter of Minty Spencer) and was born free and raised in Kent County and is now about twenty three years brown complexion is

Oct. 30 – 1856 L W Canady

Hannah is five feet one and one half inches high, brown complexion is about 23 years of age;

Filed, recorded & certificate issued Nov. 1 – 1856 by
J F Gordon clk.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County

This is to certify that Ned Graves the bearer hereof is the identical person manumitted by Samuel Merrett decd. on 18 day of April 1840 to be free on the first day of January 1856 is See Liber J K G No. 3 page 212 is